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Applicant:

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For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

WASHING GAS TURBINE ENGINES

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TRANSMITTAL

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STATUS

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.
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EXTENSION OF TERM

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		1.1	(complete (a) or (b),), as ap	plicable)						
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)										
Extension for response within:					Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)					
			first month	\$	110.00	\$ 55.00					
			second month	\$	420.00	\$ 210.00					
			third month	\$	950.00	\$ 475.00					
			fourth month	\$1	,480.00	\$ 740.00					
			fifth month	\$2	,010.00	\$1,005.00					
					Fee Due	\$					
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable)											
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.											
	Extension fee due with this request \$										
			OR								
	(b)		Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.								

FEE FOR CLAIMS

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 30, 2004, and made final, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.